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Sir:

Please accept this letter as a response to office action dated 10/01/2003. The response is within the one month period for reply,

In the office action dated 10/01/2003 the examiner has required an election between Group I (claims 1-12), Group II (claims 13-20) or Group III (claims 21-24).

ELECTION OF CLAIMS

The applicant elects Group I (claims 1-12) without traverse.

CANCELLATION OF CLAIMS

The applicant cancels claims 13-24 without prejudice to his right to pursue similar or identical claims in a continuing application.

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CONCLUSION

Applicant has elected Group I (claims 1-12), as required by the examiner, and cancelled claims 13-24.

Applicant respectfully submits that claims 1-12 are now in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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